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TOPIC Military Information from Neustrelitz.

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED Information

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1. Between 9 and 20 October 1953, the restricted Gerhart Hauptmann Strasse in Neustrelitz was occupied to capacity by about 800 troops. On 13 October, 1 x 57-mm AT gun towed by soldiers left the restricted area toward the training grounds. On 15 October, 1 truck towing a 122-mm field howitzer entered the restricted area. On 14, 15 and 16 October, trucks towing 57-mm and 76.2-mm AT guns drove from the restricted area to the training grounds. Motor vehicles [redacted] were identified in traffic to and from the installation. 25X1

2. Between 9 and 20 October, the Neue Infanterie Kaserne was apparently not occupied to capacity. A few soldiers were observed in the buildings on the front side, while the buildings to the rear seemed to have been occupied to capacity. About 300 soldiers fell in in the barracks yard on 12 October. Eight officers instructed 30 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets. A 57-mm AT gun stood in the barracks yard. [redacted] 25X1

3. Between 9 and 20 October, the restricted Schlossgarten area seemed to be occupied to capacity. On 19 October, 2 M-13 rocket launchers of the [redacted] entered the billeting area. Trucks [redacted] were identified in the restricted area. Prior to 20 October, the Alte Grenadier Kaserne was occupied to capacity by troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. 25X1

Comment. [redacted] 25X1

It is assumed, however, that, upon completion of division exercises on 30 September, the three medium tank regiments, the heavy tank and SP gun regiment and the 74th Gds Mtrcl Bn from the Neue Infanterie Kaserne were at the installation during the period of observation. On the other hand, [redacted] 25X1

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